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Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find Final Technical Memorandum No. 5 (TM5) and comment responses for Operable Unit 5 at the Rocky Flats Plant for your review and approval. The TM, which presents a soil gas sampling plan for the original landfill (IHSS 115), is required by the OU5 Phase I RFI/RI Work Plan. The draft TM was approved in a letter from the Environmental Protection Agency dated January 25, 1993, on the condition that all CDH comments were adequately addressed. DOE believes that the final TM5 addresses all concerns. Field work is currently underway.

If you have any questions, please contact Jen Pepe of my staff at 966-2184.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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